



Docket No. 1948-4293US2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Menard et al.

Group Art Unit: 1771

Serial No.: 09/041,538

Examiner: A. Singh

Filed: March 11, 1998

For: FRICTION MATERIAL DESIGNED FOR FITTING TO A DEVICE EMPLOYING FRICTION IN A LIQUID MEDIUM, AND THE METHOD OF PRODUCING SUCH A FRICTION MATERIAL AND THE DEVICE TO WHICH IT IS FITTED

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for responding to Office Action dated August 29, 2000.

2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested

☒ is filed herewith.

☐ has been filed on ____.

3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.

☐ Statement has already been filed

4.

	Total Months Requested	Fee for Other than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
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a.	<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
b.	<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$390.00	\$195.00
c.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$890.00	\$445.00
d.	<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,390.00	\$695.00
e.	<input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$1,890.00	\$945.00
f.	<input type="checkbox"/>	An extension for ____ months has already been secured for filing the above		

identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$____), minus the fee previously paid (\$____) equals \$____ (total fee due).

5. ☒ A check in the amount of \$890.00 to cover the extension fee is attached.

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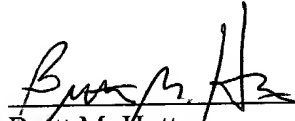
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6. ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. _____. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 1948-4293US2. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: February 28, 2001

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